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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**In re the Application of: **Toshiro OMORI et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1655

Application Number: **10/511,725**Examiner: **Amy Lynn CLARK**Filed: **October 19, 2004**

Confirmation Number: 2520

For: **COMPOSITION OBTAINED FROM BARLEY SHOCHU STILLAGE AND HAVING  
ACTIVITY OF INHIBITING ONSET OF ALCOHOLIC HEPATOPATHY AND  
ACTIVITY OF HEALING IT AS WELL AS EXCELLENT PALATABILITY, AND  
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME**

Attorney Docket Number: **042872**Customer Number: **38834****PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

July 2, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2007 for two months from April 30, 2007 to July 2, 2007 (June 30, 2007 being a Saturday).

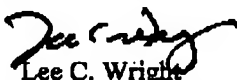
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Respectfully submitted,

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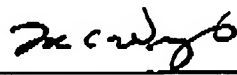
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I hereby certify that the attached Amendment Transmittal (1p) is being formally transmitted via the USPTO Central Fax No.571-273-8300 on July 2, 2007.

  
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